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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

This paper is being filed in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed January 31, 2006, which indicated that bracketing was not properly used regarding the phrase "the entire said gate oxide", as recited in claims 1, 3, 12, 45 and 47. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.121, applicants are resubmitting the entire "Amendments to the Claims" section which includes the phrase "the entire said gate oxide" as amended on June 23, 2005.